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SUBJ: DANISH POSITION ON KHMER CREDENTIALS

REF: COPENHAGEN 2523

1. DCM DISCUSSED KHMER CREDENTIALS ISSUE IN UN WITH MFA POLITICAL DIRECTOR OLDENBURG NOVEMBER 2 AND EMBOFF FOLLOWED UP WITH WORKING LEVEL OFFICIAL (KAPEL) ON NOVEMBER 5. ALTHOUGH NO DECISION HAS BEEN MADE, IT IS CLEAR THAT DANES ARE SERIOUSLY CONSIDERING ABSTAINING DURING UNGA VOTE ON CAMBODIAN REPRESENTATION. THEY APPEAR LARGELY PERSUADED BY DOCUMENT CIRCULATED IN UN BY SEVERAL ASIAN STATES SUGGESTING THAT KHMER BE LEFT FREE TO SOLVE THEIR OWN POLITICAL PROBLEMS, AND FEEL THIS LOGICALLY CALLS FOR NO UNGA DETERMINATION ON CREDENTIALS.

2. DANES HAVE ALSO BEEN MUCH INFLUENCED BY VISIT TO COPENHAGEN OF THEIR HONORARY CONSUL GENERAL IN PHNOM PENH, WHO TAKES VERY GLOOMY VIEW OF GKR PROSPECTS, ALLEGEDLY INFLUENCED BY PESSIMISTIC VIEWS OF AMERICAN SOURCES THERE WHO REPORTEDLY EXPECT AN EARLY COMMUNIST MILITARY OFFENSIVE. MFA IS AWARE OF SIHANOUK'S RECENT INDISCREET INTERVIEWS BUT IS NOT AT PRESENT INCLINED
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TO ACCORD THEM MUCH SIGNIFICANCE. STANDARD DANISH

POSITION ON RECOGNITION WILL ASSURE THAT DANES DO NOT
RECOGNIZE EXILE GOVERNMENT BUT POSSIBILITY SEEMS TO BE
GROWING THAT THEY WILL TREAD WATER IN UN PENDING
MILITARY RESOLUTION OF PROBLEM.
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